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ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS
Approval of Project for Future
Consideration of Funding
7-LA-60 11.7/23.0
Action Item

CTC Meeting: June 6-7, 2001

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Original Signed By _____

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June 1, 2001

APPROVAL OF PROJECT FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION OF FUNDING
ROUTE 60 IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

The attached resolution proposes to approve for future consideration of funding the following project for which a Negative Declaration has been completed:

- Route 60 in Los Angeles County- Construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lanes between Route 605 and Brea Canyon Road in the City of Industry.

The project is currently programmed in the 2000 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) with \$5.1 million for design. The current cost estimate for the project is \$86.4 million (capital and support costs). \$44.2 million (\$33.1 million capital and \$11.1 million support) from the locally controlled Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality (CMAQ) and Measure C programs have been programmed for the project. An additional \$37.1 million is needed for construction and the STIP is one potential funding source.

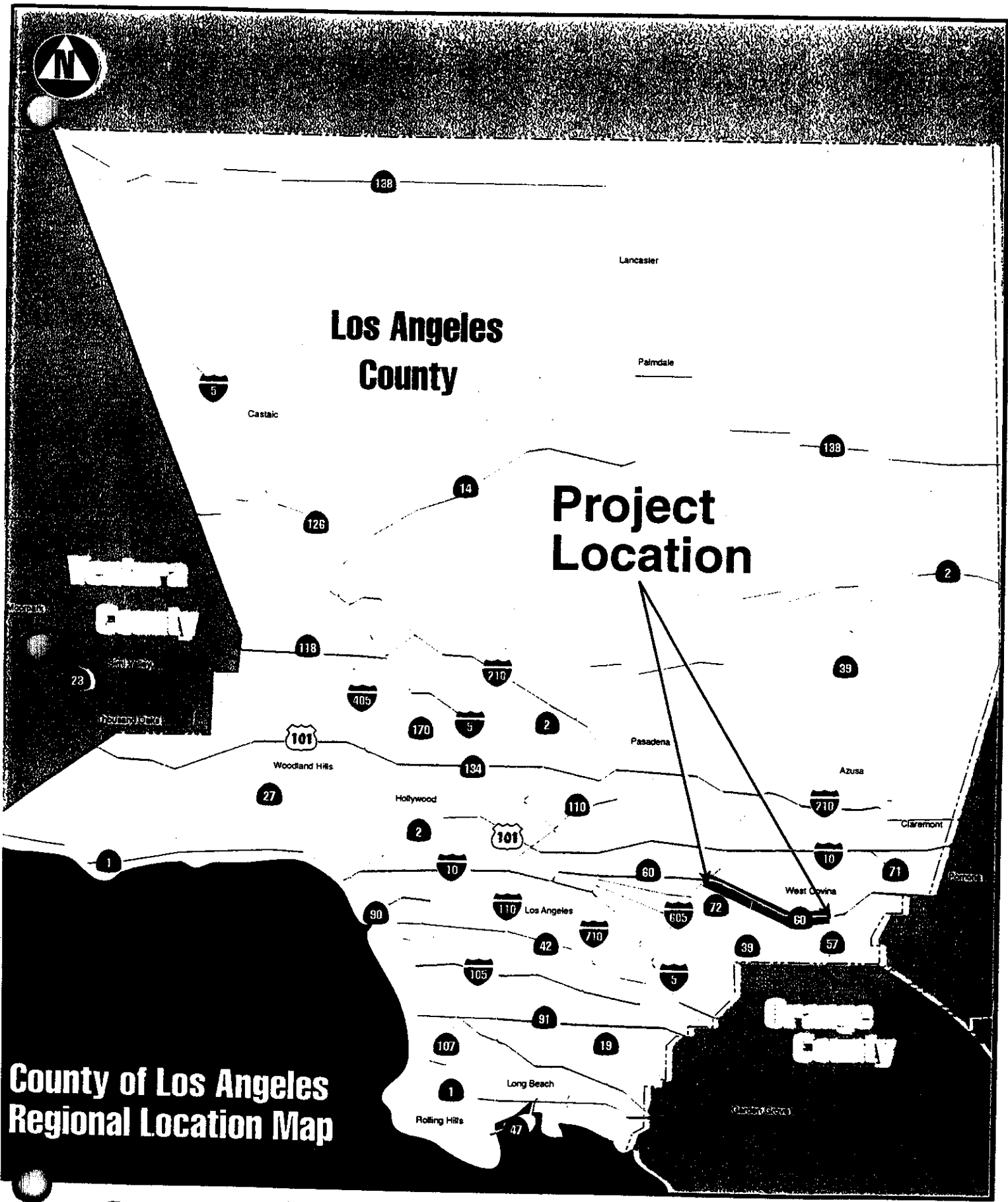
The Negative Declaration and supporting Initial Study has been transmitted to Commission staff.

The Department has approved the project for construction. This approval and the resulting filing of the Notice of Determination with the Office of Planning and Research will satisfy the environmental requirements for this stage of the project planning process.

RECOMMENDATION

The Department recommends that the California Transportation Commission, as a responsible agency, approve the attached Resolution E-01-31.

Attachment



**County of Los Angeles
Regional Location Map**



Project LA 60 HOV

Project Location: On Route 60 in Los Angeles County
 Begin Project: LA 605 P. km. 19.00 (PM 11.67)
 End project: Brea Cyn. Rd. P. km. 37.25 (PM R23.00)

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Figure 1

CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

**Resolution For Approval of Project For Future Consideration of Funding
7-LA-60 11.7/23.0**

Resolution E-01-31

- 1.1 **WHEREAS**, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has completed a Negative Declaration in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act, the CEQA Guidelines, and the California Transportation Commission Environmental Regulations for the following project:
 - Route 60 in Los Angeles County- Construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lanes between Route 605 and Brea Canyon Road in the City of Industry.
- 1.2 **WHEREAS**, the California Transportation Commission, as a responsible agency, has considered the information contained in the Negative Declaration; and
- 1.3 **WHEREAS**, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2.1 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the California Transportation Commission does hereby approve the above referenced project for future consideration of funding.